

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

Maurice C. Wood,	:	CIVIL ACTION
Petitioner	:	
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Frank D. Gillis, et al.,	:	02-CV-4523
Respondents	:	

ORDER

R. BARCLAY SURRICK, J.

AND NOW, this day of , 2003, upon careful and independent consideration of the petition for writ of *habeas corpus*, and after review of the Report and Recommendation of Chief United States Magistrate Judge James R. Melinson, IT IS ORDERED that:

1. The Report and Recommendation is APPROVED and ADOPTED.
2. The petition for a writ of *habeas corpus* is STAYED and placed in CIVIL SUSPENSE pending resolution of Wood's application for collateral review in the state courts, including appellate review.
3. There is no probable cause to issue a certificate of appealability.

BY THE COURT:

R. BARCLAY SURRICK, J.